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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
KOJI FUKUNAGA ET AL. )  
Application No.: 09/025,133 )  
Filed: February 17, 1998 )  
For: DATA TRANSMISSION )  
APPARATUS, SYSTEM AND )  
METHOD, AND IMAGE )  
PROCESSING APPARATUS )

Examiner: A.I. Elamin  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Brief for five months, from December 13, 2000 to May 13, 2001.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$1,890.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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